



State Representative
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Committees: Conservation and Outdoor Recreation (Minority Vice Chair); Criminal Justice; Gaming and Casino Oversight

Biography: Democrat, of St. Clair Shores; born November 25, 1948; attended Henry Ford and Macomb Community Colleges; Michigan Real Estate School; background in construction blueprint reading and drafting and in cost estimating for building trades; certified in B.O.C.A. Code enforcement with 28 years in construction; former mayor of St. Clair Shores, 1995; former member, St. Clair Shores City Council (1993-1996), Planning Commission, TIFA board, General Employees Pension Board, Economic Development Commission; member of the Southeast Michigan Building Officials and Inspectors Association, the Metro-East Chamber of Commerce, and the Great Lakes Commission; member, Lac Ste. Claire Kiwanis and VFW Senior Sons —Bruce Post 1146, Optimist Club; self-employed Detroit area general contractor/ builder and realtor; has served as a construction industry "expert witness" on civil litigation issues for 14 years; first elected to the House of Representatives, 1996; reelected in 1998 and again in 2000, for third term, the maximum allowed under term limits.

